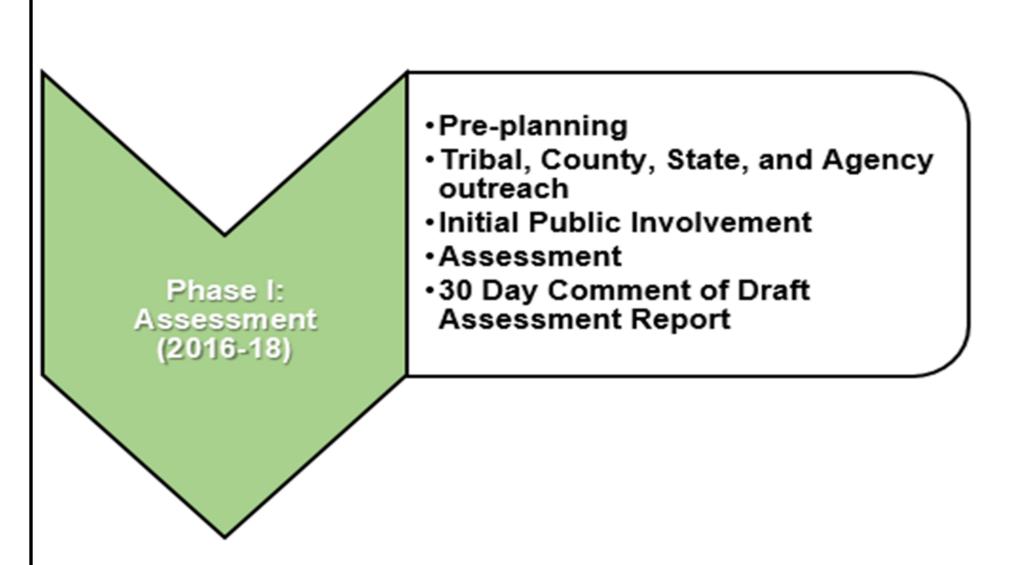
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Stages of Plan Revision

Phase 1: Assessment

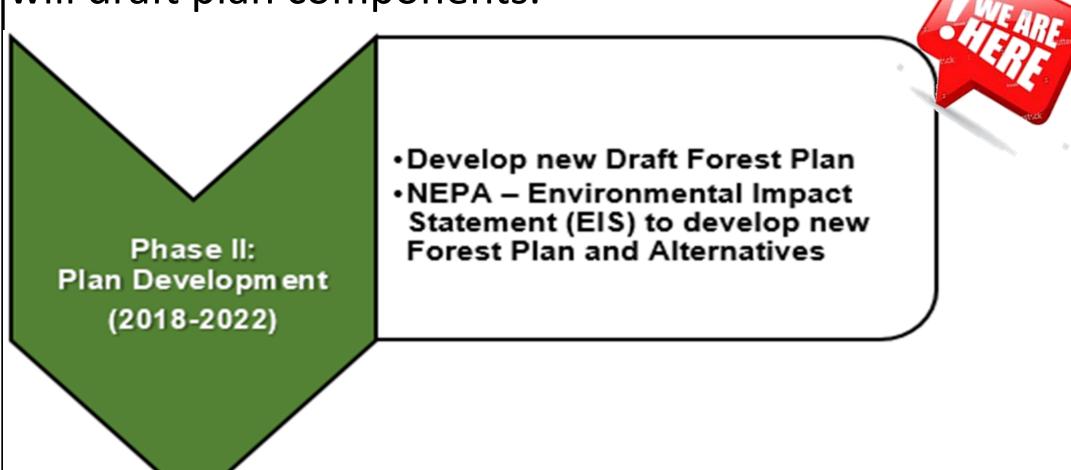
The Forest rapidly evaluated existing information about relevant ecological, economic, and social conditions, trends and sustainability.

Outcome: Assessment Report & Preliminary Need to Change Report



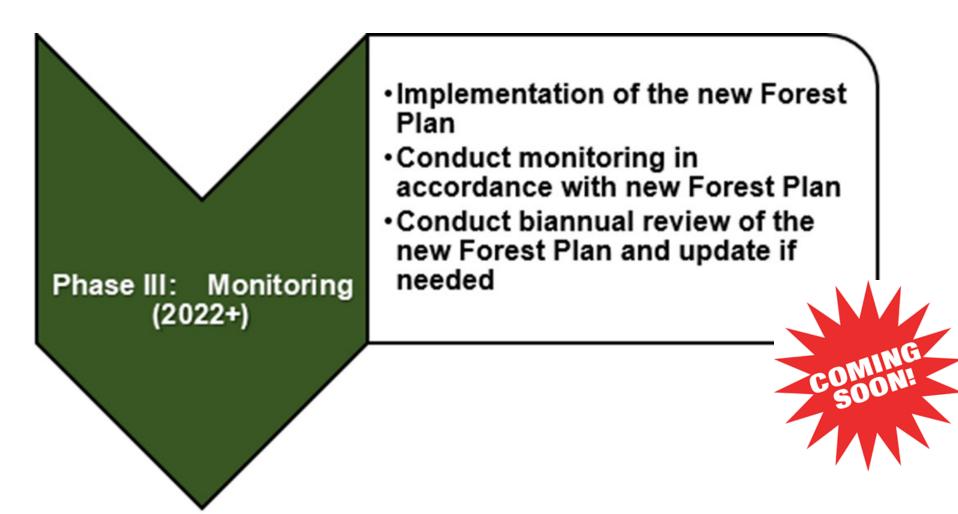
Phase 2: Forest Plan Development

Using the Assessment and Need to Change, and working with Cooperating Agencies and the Public the Forest will draft plan components.



Phase 3: Implementation & Monitoring

The Implementation and Monitoring Phase will extend the life of the Plan.



Monitoring provides feedback, tracks relevant conditions over time, and measures management effectiveness. It determines if a change in Plan Components is needed, which supports adaptive management.

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Components of a Forest Plan

Desired Condition

Objective

Objective

Guideline - Standard - Guideline

Management Approaches

Desired Condition— is a description of specific social, economic, and/or ecological characteristics of the plan area, or a portion of the plan area, toward which management of the land and resources should be directed. **Must be described in terms that are specific** enough to allow progress toward their achievement.

Objective— is a concise, measurable, and time-specific statement of a desired rate of progress toward a desired condition or conditions. Should be based on reasonably foreseeable budgets.

Standard—a mandatory constraint on project and activity decision making, established to help achieve or maintain the desired condition or conditions, to avoid or mitigate undesirable effects, or to meet applicable legal requirements

Guideline— a constraint on project and activity decision making that allows for departure from its terms, so long as the purpose of the guideline is met.

Management Approaches— are principle strategies and program priorities that be may used to carry out projects and activities.

Forest-wide (FW) Plan Components

including DA/MA/DAs, <u>unless</u>
specific DA/MA/GA content
specifies otherwise.

Management Area (MA)*,

Applies <u>only</u> where specified.

and Geographic Area (GA)*

Plan Components

Terrestrial & Aquatic Ecosystem Plan Components

Multiple Use & Human Benefits Plan Components

Applies across entire plan area,

What is Next



How to Provide Feedback

Fall 2018 Review Period: Oct 8—Nov 9

The Forest has released several draft documents for review and would like your feedback.

Submit Comments by:

Email: mlnfplanrevision@fs.fed.us

Fax (435) - 637—4940

Hand delivered/sent by postal mail to the Manti-La Sal Supervisor's Office, 599 West Price River Drive, Price, Utah 84501

Questions? Call the Forest Plan Revision Team (435) - 637-3508 or email.

Questions to consider:

- For Desired Conditions—What is your vision for the resources of the Manti-La Sal National Forest?
- Objectives—What type of management activities can we take to get there?
- . What is missing? Are there additional desired conditions and objectives we should consider?